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In re the Patent Application of Hiroyuki Horiuchi ✓

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2002, the Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

In the Claims:

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Please amend claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-9, 11 and 12 as follows:

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1. (Amended) A recording material in which an ink receiving layer containing at least a resin and a pigment is provided on a substrate characterized in that the ink receiving layer is porous, apparent density thereof is between 0.5 and 0.8 g/cm³ and heat conductivity of the ink receiving layer and the substrate is 0.1 to 0.25 W/mK.